

ITALY MAY REACH DECISION ON WAR QUESTION TODAY

PREMIER HAS CALLED CABINET
TOGETHER—PARLIAMENT
MEETS THIS WEEK

SOLDIERS KILL TRIEST WOMEN

Dispatch Says Troops Charged Women, Killing 47 and Injuring 300

(Associated Press)

Rome, May 17—Italy's decision for or against war may be reached today. Premier Salandra has called the cabinet together for a meeting; however the final decision on the momentous question may be postponed until the assembling of parliament Thursday. The country is represented as being overwhelmingly in favor of war.

UPRISING IN TRIEST

Clashes between the Austrian and Italian frontier guards are reported; while a dispatch says that an uprising developed in Triest, Austria, in which many women participated. The soldiers are charged with killing forty-seven women and injuring three hundred.

Rome, May 17.—A border clash between Italian and Austrian troops was reported from Sogno. A company of Austrian soldiers crossed the frontier and was engaged by Italian troops who were rushed to the scene. After an exchange of rifle fire the Italians charged and drove the Austrians back. One prisoner was captured.

Military preparations continue without cessation. Trains laden with troops and war materials are constantly departing for the Tyrol frontier. The number of soldiers already mobilized is estimated at 1,700,000.

The newspapers are unanimous in predicting a decisive move forthwith. The Austrian consulate here having notified the few remaining Austrians to be ready to depart at a moment's notice, the majority of them decided to leave.

All Italy Rejoice.

While the official announcement of the retention of Premier Salandra at the head of the cabinet has put an end to the war riots throughout Italy, there were many demonstrations of rejoicing. These were particularly impressive at Milan, Florence, Naples, Messina, Bologna, Palermo and Catania.

The outbursts at Genoa Saturday night attained serious proportions. There was hand-to-hand fighting between parties of war and the pacifists. Twenty policemen were wounded before order was restored.

In Rome 200,000 citizens marched to the Quirinal in a gigantic demonstration of loyalty to the king. The city was profusely decorated with the flags of Italy, France, England, Russia and Belgium. The expression of sympathy reached its height in the demonstration before the Belgian legation.

German Is Frightened.

Herr Eyzberger, chief of the German parliamentary center, and persona grata of the vatican, who came to Rome with the hope that Pope Benedict might devise some way for Italy to maintain her neutrality, was so terrified by the aspect of the people in the streets that he fled from his hotel to refuge in the German embassy, where he will remain until he departs from Rome.

Judge Landis Object Of An Unwarranted Attack

Chicago, May 17—A former judge and one who now wears the ermine joined yesterday in an attack on the jurist by whom Leo M. Frank was sentenced to the gallows. From the stage of Powers theater they addressed an audience gathered in protest against the execution of Frank.

Judge Kiekham Scanlan asserted his belief that the Frank trial judge was "either a fool, a coward, or a monster, deserving himself to be hanged."

McKenzie Cleland, the former judge, now candidate for the Circuit bench, let fly a shot at the trial judge and delivered an unwarranted attack on Judge K. M. Landis of the federal court.

"Judicial injustice is not confined to the state of Georgia," he said. "We have it with us in Illinois. In Chicago last week a judge sentenced a man to

THE WEATHER

Telegraph Barometer.
Monday, Sept. 17, 1915
The weather for the next 24 hours:
Fair tonight and Tuesday. Probable frost tonight; warmer tomorrow.

Local Temperatures.
Max. Min. Prec.
Sunday80 51 .10
Monday66 39

Big Chorus Will Sing 'Rose Maiden' At May Festival

Chorus of Christian Church Will
Be Assisted By Many
Musicians

The Christian church chorus, which presented an Easter cantata so pleasingly, augmented by scores of musicians from the other churches of the city—the result of which combination it is hoped will form the nucleus for a big city chorus—will present a May Festival at the church Thursday and Friday evenings, June 3 and 4. The festival promises to be one of the musical events of the year.

At this time a chorus of nearly 70 voices will sing Frederick H. Cowan's "Rose Maiden," and the accompaniment will be played by two pianos, at which Miss VanEpps and Miss Altman will preside. Clinton Fahrney at the organ and an orchestra consisting of Claude Sebrer, violin; A. L. Durr, trombone, and Mr. Messman, cornet.

Among the singers who will assist the Christian church chorus are the North Dixon high school Glee Club, a quartet from Freeport, two members of which, Mrs. Coleman, soprano and Mr. Young, tenor, will have special parts; Mr. Erwin, tenor of Rockford, and the following from Dixon: Mrs. L. E. Edwards, Mrs. E. M. Goodsell, Mrs. E. A. Sicksels, Mrs. Lee Read, Miss Myrtle Rice, Willard Beach, Elmer Rice and others.

ILLINOIS CITIES WIN RATE FIGHT

FREEPORT AND ROCKFORD NOT
TREATED FAIRLY SAYS
COMMISSION.

(Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., May 17—The present class rates of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and other railroads between Freeport and Rockford, Illinois, and points east of the Illinois and Indiana state line were found unduly discriminatory by the Interstate Commerce commission, as compared with rates from other cities in the same territory, such as Chicago and Peoria.

STRIKES IN ENGLAND WORRY

(Associated Press)

London, May 17—London's street car service is completely tied up by the strike. Thousands of miners in the Black district have also gone on a strike.

PRESIDENT SEES LARGEST FLEET OF U.S. VESSELS

SIXTY-FOUR BATTLESHIPS INSPECTED BY WILSON AT NEW YORK

DOUBLE LINE FOUR MILES LONG

Display Was Largest Fleet of U. S. War Ships Ever Assembled in American Port

(Associated Press)

New York, May 17—The most powerful array of fighting ships ever assembled in an American port, 64 in all, swung at anchor in the Hudson river today, groomed for a review by the President of the United States. The fleet comprised battleships and destroyers and stretched four miles in a double line of gray, pennants and ensigns proudly displayed. The cruiser division was not represented.

A naval parade, preceded this forenoon by a land parade of sailors and marines and the state militia, which the presidential party reviewed from a stand in front of the public library, was a feature. Following the parade the President was the city's guest at luncheon at the Billmore hotel, where he made a brief speech.

Streets Crowded.

Following the luncheon Wilson went aboard the Mayflower, where he received formal calls from the fleet's officers, after which the ship weighed anchor for the review. Hundreds of thousands of people thronged the streets to witness the land parade and later to seek vantage points along the Hudson river front.

Extra Precautions.

Extraordinary precautions were taken to protect President Wilson. In addition to the usual secret service guard and the uniformed detective force the whole detective force of 600 men were assigned to stations along the line of march.

It was raining when Wilson reviewed the land parade, but he stood under an awning with serious face, except when the passing of the mascots from the battleships drew laughter from the crowd.

PALMYRA FARMER STRUCK BY AN AUTO

NORMAN MUMFORD SUFFERED
SUPERFICIAL INJURIES
IN ACCIDENT.

Norman Mumford, residing on the Eastwood farm in Palmyra township, while attempting to cross Galena avenue shortly after 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, was struck by a Ford car belonging to Louis Adair of near Woosung. A street car had just passed the corner and a number of autos were passing the intersection at First street and Galena avenue when Mumford started to cross the street, not noticing Mr. Adair's machine coming up the hill. He was knocked down and the back of his left hand and the side of his face badly bruised. He was taken to the office of a physician and his injuries were dressed.

MILITIA OFFICERS INSPECT CAMP SITE

SEVERAL CHICAGO COMMANDERS VISITED HERE ON SUNDAY.

A number of the officers of the Second and Seventh regiments of the Illinois National Guard came out from Chicago at noon Sunday and spent the afternoon at the state epileptic colony grounds north of the city, which will be the site of Camp Dunne this summer. The visiting militia men were taken over the grounds by President Brinton of the Chamber of Commerce and Commissioner Geo. W. Smith, and from their inspection a comprehensive map of the camp site will be prepared. Those in the party were: Col. Daniel M. Moriarity, Col. James Dineen, Col. Henry Allen, Maj. M. C. Holway, Capt. M. Morgan, Capt. A. H. Furton and Capt. A. J. Simons.

Admiral Fletcher Proud of Efficiency of Great Fleet.



Photo by American Press Association.

Owing to the crisis facing the United States there was more than ordinary interest in the assembling of the Atlantic fleet of warships in New York harbor. A formidable array was viewed by the hundreds of thousands who lined both banks of the Hudson river were many favorable comments on the splendid appearance of Uncle Sam's fighting machines. In the accompanying illustration Admiral Fletcher, head of the fleet, is shown on the left with Dock Commissioner R. A. C. Smith in an automobile after leaving his flagship, the Wyoming.

Transylvania Has Arrived Safety At Scotch Port

Big Cunard Liner Reached
Greenock Today - War
Summary

(Associated Press)

Liverpool, May 17—The Cunard liner Transylvania arrived safely at Greenock, Scotland today from New York. She carried many Americans, and fears were entertained for her safety.

MANY ARMENIANS MASSACRED
London, May 17—The Russian consul at Urmiah, Persia, under date of Saturday, says that six thousand Armenians have been massacred at Van, Armenia, by Kurds and Turks.

MANY VISITED SHOE FACTORY AS GUESTS

INVITATION OF SUPT. ENGLISH
ACCEPTED BY MANY DIXON
CITIZENS.

About one hundred persons took advantage of the invitation extended by Supt. E. H. English of the Brown Shoe company to visit the plant in this city this afternoon. It is a very busy institution and the company is in need of more help in order to fill the orders on hand. The visitors were accompanied through the factory by Mr. English, starting in the cutting room on the top floor and then to the various rooms as the shoe is made, finishing up in the boxing room in the basement where they are boxed and ready to be sent to the trade. The company are greatly in need of more girls and a golden opportunity is presented to those who wish to secure work.

HARRIS HEARING HERE SATURDAY

The sheriff's office was busy this forenoon in serving subpoenas relative to the hearing of disbarment proceedings pending against Attorney A. G. Harris of this city. The matter has been referred by the Supreme court to Judge Greig of Marshall county who will come to this city on Saturday, May 29, to listen to the testimony of Dixon persons.

Miss Mary Hauser went to Chicago this morning for a visit with friend.

U.S. Will Remain Firm; Has Nothing For Arbitration

Such Is Intimation Of High
Officials Concerning
German Offer

(Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., May 17—The Austrian ambassador held a long conversation with Bryan and other state department officials today, and while the ambassador refused to discuss the object of his visit, the impression prevails that he endeavored to sound out the department feeling with a view of assisting in the peaceful settlement of the situation with Germany. The Austrian and German ambassadors have held frequent consultations for several days.

U. S. TO REMAIN FIRM.

That the United States will remain firm in its position, and therefore has nothing to arbitrate, was the intimation of many high officials in answer to the rumor that Germany would offer to submit the question to arbitration.

Washington, May 17.—If the views held by influential Germans in this country are accepted in Berlin, it is certain that the German government's reply to President Wilson's note about the German submarine operations will be conciliatory and persuasive in tone and will contain several suggestions calculated, from the German point of view, to avert all danger of a break between the imperial government and the United States.

The views held in Berlin regarding the United States position on the submarine operations are not definitely known here, but certainly the most interesting phase of the situation as it exists in Washington is the heroic effort being made in German quarters here to bring about an entirely amicable adjustment.

German Not Offended.

Germans here refuse to see in the president's note any castigation or

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BOYS HELD TO JURY FOR LUMBER THEFT

THOMPSON, JONES AND NELSON
ARRAIGNED IN JUSTICE
COURT TODAY

This morning before Justice Geo. W. Hill the boys who were arrested for the theft of some lumber from the yard at the Greig planing mill and some clothing from the office of the Dixon Pure Ice Co. were arraigned for preliminary hearing. Earl Thompson and Robert Jones pleaded guilty to taking the lumber, while Jones and William Nelson admitted taking the bed clothing. Thompson and Nelson were bound over to the grand jury at the September term of the circuit court under \$300 bonds, while Jones was held under two charges and his bond was fixed at \$600. Jones and Nelson were both out on probation, having pleaded guilty in the circuit court last September to the stealing of some chickens from the Charles Barton farm. They will now have to answer to the court on these former charges.

CONSIDER NEW E. GROVE BRIDGE

The Highway commissioners of East Grove township, E. Friel, G. H. Reuter and G. B. Rogers were in the city on Saturday afternoon in conference with County supervisor of highways L. B. Neighbour concerning contemplated erection of a new bridge over a creek on one of the main traveled roads.

Tornado Swept El Paso Late Saturday Afternoon

El Paso, Ill., May 17—Special — A tornado struck El Paso Saturday evening, inflicting damage estimated at \$25,000 and entirely cutting off outside communication. The tornado was accompanied by a terrific hailstorm and lasted but a few minutes.

The grandstand at the fair grounds with a seating capacity of 3,000, was demolished and the eight greenhouses of a local company were wrecked. Many buildings were damaged by the wind and by falling trees. The buildings on the farm occupied by Ed Knoll were carried from their foundations and the family escaped only by fleeing to the cellar.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE FOR DIXON PASSED

MEASURE PROVIDES FOR SUMS
TO BE SPENT BY THE
DEPARTMENTS.

VAN BIBBER FOR FIRE DEPT.

Said He Thought More Money Should
Be Allowed For That
Department.

The annual appropriation ordinance was passed at the meeting of the city council this morning designating the amount set apart for the running expenses of each department for the year. All voted for the ordinance except Commissioner Van Bibber and he later explained his vote by stating that he felt the amount appropriated for the fire department was not sufficient. Mayor Schmidt in reply stated that there had been allowed to the department within \$280 as much as was allowed last year, when \$1,000 was expended for new hose, and that the equipment and apparatus was now in good condition and there would be no expense from that source.

The semi-monthly bills were read, to the amount of \$1,270.40, and ordered paid. Harry Chiverton applied for a permit to move a one story building from lot 4, block 7, Steadman's addition on East Fellows street to the rear lot in the same block facing on East Chamberlain street. The permit was granted. The application of Thos. Gwynn accompanied by the lease of the building at 83 Galena avenue for a dram shop license was presented and on recommendation of J. D. Van Bibber was allowed. This disposes of the last license.

Refused Bott His License.

Charles Bott addressed the council asking that the ordinance on the books regarding bottling works be amended to read from three to four. He was informed that the council was not in favor of amending the ordinance at the present time.

City Clerk Blake Grover called attention of the council to the fact that Charles Sheffield of Grand Detour had returned to the city two wheeled scrapers loaned the highway commissioners of Grand Detour township over a year ago when the convicts built the roadway north of that village. Mr. Sheffield was extended a vote of thanks by the council.

The appropriation ordinance passed by the council is:

Annual Appropriation Ordinance
An Ordinance Making Appropriation for the Fiscal Year of the City of Dixon, commencing April 20th, 1915.

Be It Ordained By the Council of the City of Dixon, Illinois:

Section 1. That the following sums or so much thereof as may be authorized by law, are hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes of the City of Dixon for the fiscal year of said City, commencing April 20th, 1915, as heretofore specified:

Department of Public Affairs—
\$24,100.00.

Hydrant rental \$6800.00
Street lighting 9500.00
Dixon Public Hospital 500.00
Mayor's salary 600.00
City Attorney's salary 600.00
Contingent fund 6100.00

Total \$24100.00
Department of Accounts and Finances
26040.00.

Commissioner's salary 400.00
City clerk's salary 1200.00
City treasurer's salary 300.00

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MONDAY MAY 17 1915

Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Monday
Golden Rule Circle—Misses Heckman.

Knights of Columbus—K. C. hall
Hoi Polloi club—Miss Dolly Fauth.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lepley of south of town were Dixon visitors Saturday.

Tuesday
Baldwin Auxiliary, U. S. W. V. card party—Armory hall.
Phidian Art Musicals—Mrs. C. B. Morrison.

Wednesday
Snaldi Club—Mrs. A. E. Simonson.

K. B. Aid—Mrs. Gus Boese
O. E. S. Parlor club—Masonic hall
Tea club—Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook

Thursday
G. A. R. Circle—G. A. R. hall.
Sunshine Class—Mrs. Vera Wolverton.

Friday
Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. Henry Hintz.

Saturday
Intermediate class Recital—Strong College of Music.

Decides the Day's Temper
Often a man's breakfast cup of coffee puts him "on edge" the rest of the day. Wise wives have learned that there is a blend of Golden Sun Coffee exactly to suit hubby's taste. Your grocer will tell you which blend it is.

Thursday Reading Circle
The Thursday Reading Circle will hold its last meeting of the year with Mrs. Henry Hintz at Brookside farm Friday, May 21st. Dinner will be served at the noon hour by the hostesses.

Guest of Sister
Mrs. A. N. Hartman and daughter Mildred of Route two were visitors Saturday at the home of Mrs. Hartman's sister, Mrs. A. D. George of East Third street.

Sunshine Class
The Sunshine class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon, May 20, with Mrs. Vera Wolverton, at her home, 611 Hennepin avenue. Mrs. L. C. Johnson will assist in entertaining.

Wednesday Eve Dance
The Social club will hold the first of a series of Wednesday evening dances at the Rosbrook hall Wednesday night, to which all dancers are invited.

Hoi Polloi Club
The Hoi Polloi club will meet this evening with Miss Dolly Fauth, 811 S. Galena Ave.

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Bargains in First Quality
Switches.
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KEEP WELL
Think for Power;
Eat for Strength;
Act Purposely. Seek
the Life Worth
While.
For the How and
What See
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223 Crawford Ave., Dixon.
Phone 169 for Consultation.

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Golden Rule Circle
The Golden Rule Circle of the Grace Evangelical church will meet this evening with Misses Heckman at their home on Cooper street, N. Dixon. Fair weather will mean a picnic on the lawn, otherwise a scramble supper will be served inside. The supper will be followed by the regular monthly business meeting.

Tea Club
The Tea Club will meet Wednesday with Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook.

Peoria Avenue Club
The Peoria Avenue Reading club met today with Miss Messer at her home 408 First street.

Nachusa Social
The Loyal Gleaners of the Nachusa Sunday school gave a delightful social Friday evening with a large attendance in spite of the unpleasant evening. \$25.00 was the neat sum made from the sales of the home bakery booth and from the ice cream and cake served.

Daughters of the Covenant
The Daughters of the Covenant met Friday evening with Miss Marguerite Richardson, with Miss Olive Hanes as assistant hostess. The time was given over to a discussion of plans for socials during the summer. Refreshments were served by the hostesses at the close.

St. James Social
An ice cream social will be given by the members of the Young Ladies Aid society of the St. James church Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bahen, one mile south of the brick school house.

Peoples' Church Meeting
Tuesday evening the members of the Peoples' church will hold a scramble supper in the basement to be followed by a business meeting in which important matters will be discussed.

At Rogers Home
Dr. Albert Thompson of Chicago was an over Sunday guest at the home of F. S. Rogers of 406 Van Buren Avenue.

Sunday in Polo
Mr. and Mrs. David Rowland, Miss Alice Lehman and brother Samuel were entertained Sunday in Polo.

Engagement Announced
Announcement has been made of the engagement of Florence B. Shelain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shelain of Rockford, to Albert L. Fogel, of Rochelle, the wedding to take place this summer. Mr. Fogel is engaged in the implement business in Rochelle.

Walton Club
The Walton Domestic Science club will meet Thursday afternoon in the basement of St. Mary's church and a most instructive program, which is a follows, has been arranged:
The Common Housewife—Mrs. Carl Ackert.
Poultry—Miss Grace Cadwell
Discussion—Balanced Rations
Vocal solo, Miss Hazel Lally.

Picnic Supper
Misses Lorena Hilbert, Myrtle Swartz, Violet Floto, Frances Busby, Vernie Hubbard, Alice Lehman, Leva Missman, Blanche Chapman, Florence Williams and Coralyn Crombie hiked to the William Dickey home on the Peoria road Saturday and enjoyed a picnic supper.

Forester Team Drill
The M. W. Forester team will meet tomorrow evening in Miller hall for drill. Everyone is urged to be present.
By Order of the Chief Forester.

At Banquet
Prof. W. F. Strong will attend the Piano Manufacturers' banquet to be given in Chicago at the LaSalle hotel as the guest of Mr. Janssen of New York.

Hamilton Whist
Mrs. George Steel will entertain the Hamilton Whist club Tuesday afternoon.

To State Park
Misses Clara Valle and Anna Jensen of this city and Messrs. Harry Reel and Ed Lennox of Sterling motored to Starved Rock Sunday.

Dinner Party
Miss Ethel Sterling and brother Norman entertained with a dinner Saturday evening twenty-six young people. Among the guests were ten young men from Rockford, schoolmates of Norman at Rockford high school who were members of a week end house party at the Sterling home.

Farewell Party
Mrs. Harry White was hostess Saturday at a bridge party given in honor of Mrs. George Downing, who left Sunday for California.

Sunday Guests
Mr. and Mrs. Orville McCleary of the Kingdom were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harris of Palmyra Sunday.

The Snaldi Club
The Snaldi club meets Wednesday with Mrs. Almer Simonson, 314 W. Eighth street.

Knights of Columbus
The Knights of Columbus meet in regular session this evening at K. C. hall.

Guests from Freeport
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCarthy entertained the former's sister, Miss Mary McCarthy and friend, Miss Katherine Stonick, both of Freeport, Sunday.

Entertained Little Friends
Miss Rosella Plein entertained a company of forty-one little friends with a theatre party at the Family theatre Saturday, the occasion being her eighth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Missman and family of Dixon, John Miller and Miss Myrtle Whitebread, were dinner guests at the Ralph Lehman home in South Dixon Sunday.

Supper at Lowell
The members of the Methodist Sunday school class taught by Dr. F. D. Stone will enjoy a scramble supper at Lowell Park Tuesday evening.

Dinner Guests
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burtfield and family of near Amboy, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Tupper and Miss Sue Pyle were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lindeman of the Chicago Road Sunday.

Guests of Honor
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pepple and baby of this city were guests at a dinner given in their honor Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patterson of Temperance Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Pepple will leave soon for the east. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Royster, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gupill, and Miss Josephine Royster of St. James; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler and son of Bradford, Scott Spengler of Nachusa, and Arthur Hallish of Temperance Hill.

At Rockford Conference
Rev. C. E. Stebbins of the Congregational church will attend Tuesday the Congregational Conference of Illinois in session at Rockford today, tomorrow, and Wednesday. The conference theme is "Spiritual Force and Efficiency," and many prominent Congregationalists are on the program, among them being Rev. F. M. Shelton, Boston; Rev. Wm. W. Newell, Chicago; and Rev. Wm. E. Barton of Oak Park, the latter a former Lee county boy.

The 30th Annual meeting of the Illinois Woman's Missionary Union, to be held at the same time, is attended by Mrs. Altenderfer, as a representative of the Dixon society.

Intermediate's Recital
The Intermediate class of the Strong College of Music will give a recital to which the public is invited next Saturday evening.

Announce Engagement
Mr. and Mrs. Stonick of Freeport announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Katherine Elizabeth, to Francis J. McCarthy of Freeport, the wedding to take place in June. Mr. McCarthy has been employed the past two years in Dixon.

Hoi Polloi Picnic
The Hoi Polloi club held one of those delightful out of door affairs at Assembly park on Friday with a picnic lunch consisting of all manner of good things served at 6 o'clock. About twelve members of the club were present and later formed a theater party at the Family theater.

Go to Dr. Wilson, 220 First St., for Glasses.

In Sterling
Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Byers motored to Sterling Sunday afternoon in the Parker car.

Gottlieb-Borg
Mrs. Mattie Gottlieb and John Borg, both of this city, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Judge R. S. Farrand officiating. Mr. Borg is employed in the Lee Read livery barn. Mrs. Gottlieb is the proprietor of a store on the north side. They will make their home in this city.

Sunday Dinner Guests
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Forrest of Ottawa avenue entertained as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Crowell Dr. and Mrs. Roe of Oregon, John Forrest and Mrs. Keller of Dixon.

Methods Demonstrated
The demonstration of the Simplex Symbol Kindergarten Method of Music Instruction given by Prof. Jas. Weigel Johnston of Sterling and a number of his pupils from that city at the St. Paul's Lutheran church of this city was largely attended by Dixon club women. The affair was given under the auspices of the Dixon Woman's club and proved most highly instructive.

Those of Prof. Johnston's pupils taking part were Evelyn Woods, Rita Wylie, Elinore MacLennan, Mary Louise Comstock, Anna O'Hare, Sue Kadel and Ruth Frye, who were accompanied here by their mothers. Prof. Johnston was assisted by Miss Ruth Limerick.

The executive committee of the club consisting of the president of the Dixon Woman's club, Mrs. L. W. Newcomer, and Mesdames George Cupp, H. L. Dollahan, L. B. Neighbour, H. L. Fordham and D. G. Palmer, received the guests at the church, which was prettily decorated in spring flowers. Mrs. Newcomer presided, calling the meeting to order at 2 o'clock.

The following program exemplifying the Simplex method was rendered:

Vocal solo, "Happy Day," (Sander-son) by Miss Hazel Kenneth of Dixon

Piano solo, "Autumn" (Gaynor) by Miss Anna O'Hare

"Ding Dong Bell" (Gaynor) Rita Wylie

"The Jolly Workman" (Gaynor) Sue Kadel

"The Church Bell" (Martin) Elinore MacLennan

"Slave Song" (Teresa Del Riego) Miss Hazel Bean

Special mention should be made of the numbers given by Miss Hazel Kenneth and Miss Bean, both pupils of Mr. Johnston in vocal instruction, as they were of particular beauty and charm and showed great delicacy of treatment with a superb command of technique.

Following the first number of the program, Prof. Johnston explained the system he used, that of drawing out the natural ability of the child and at the same time instructing him in technique without making the necessary drill abhorrent to the child, as a rigid adherence to scale practice, cut-in, and wrist and finger practice, too often does. Prof. Johnston said that every game, every song, every drill, had hidden within it some phase of elementary technique or skill, and attracted the child, rather than repelled him. That is, the usual ugly skeleton was clothed with beauty, and the drudgery that causes so many children to literally abhor practice was dispensed with.

At the close of the program, the children participating in the program were passed small pails containing lunches prepared by the Household Science Department of the Woman's club, which were eaten on the car during the return trip to Sterling.

Bridge Club Picnic
The Auction Bridge club left at 1 o'clock this morning by boat for Lowell park where they enjoyed a luncheon followed by an afternoon spent in playing bridge.

Beginners' Recital
The hall was crowded with parents and friends when the Beginners' class of the Strong College of Music gave their second delightful recital Saturday evening. Those giving piano numbers were Arvilla Kimes, Helen Martenson, Eva Peterson, Paul Newcomer, Harold Coss, Harold Tolney, Curtis Kuhnien, and Adolph Polak. Misses Helen Plein and Leona Fisher performed upon violins. Prof. Strong, at the close of the entertainment, presented each participant in the program with a box of candy.

At Sunday Dinner
Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Schmucker entertained at Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. William Kimes and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. Schmucker. Covers were laid for twelve.

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is always fresh and tasty, just as nice as new, butter, cream, milk, vegetables, fruit, meats, and fishes may all be put into an Automatic and no mixing of food flavors.

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Mystic Workers

A large crowd enjoyed the pleasing program given Friday evening at the meeting of the Mystic Workers. The program consisted of the following numbers:
Piano solo—Miss Frances Busby
Reading—Miss Trautnow
Piano Duet—Misses Ferry and Southwell
Reading—Mrs. Winifred Frye
Piano solo—Miss Lillian Wood
Delicious refreshments were served later, and a pleasant social time followed.

District Federation Convention

The 1915 convention of the Thirtieth District Federation of Women's clubs will take place in Freeport May 21st and 22nd. Mrs. Chas. Zimmerman of Chicago, the new president of the state federation, will be present and a reception will be given in her honor at the Country club on the evening of the twentieth.

The Dixon Woman's club, the Phidian Art club, and the Ideal club of this city are members of the Federation and will send delegates. Mrs. L. W. Newcomer and Mrs. George Cupp are the delegates chosen by the Dixon Woman's club, with Mrs. Joseph Petersberger and Mrs. D. G. Palmer as alternates. Those picked to represent the Phidian Art club are Mrs. Mahlon Forsythe and Miss Anna Wodbridge, with Mrs. D. H. Law and Mrs. D. E. Raymond as alternates. Mrs. Robert Fulton and Miss Carrie Smith were named as delegates from the Ideal club and Mrs. F. G. Wohnke and Mrs. Lloyd Lewis as alternates. Mrs. A. G. Burnham of this city, and state vice president, is on the program.

The Women's club of Amboy is also a member of the federation and has chosen Mrs. Wm. S. Frost, Jr., and Mrs. T. F. Dornblaser as delegates, with Mrs. C. A. Zeigler and Mrs. C. E. Ives as alternates.

Mrs. F. E. Gates of Pawpaw, Lee county vice president will represent this county.

The program for the two days follows:

Thursday, 1:30, p. m.:
Organ solo—Mr. Charles Lawver
Invocation—Reverend W. H. Pierce
Address of Welcome—Hon. H. H. Stahl, Mayor of Freeport, introduced by Mrs. Frederick Wagner, President of Freeport Woman's Club
Response—State Vice President—Mrs. A. G. Burnham, Dixon
Roll Call
Reading of Minutes
Report of Treasurer
Reports of Standing Committees—Legislative, reciprocity, Home Economics, auditing
Reports of County Vice Presidents—Lee, Ogles, Stephenson, Whiteside, Carroll, Jo Daviess
Automobile Ride
Thursday evening, 8:00-10:00
Reception at Freeport Country club
Mrs. Charles H. Zimmerman, State President, Guest of Honor
Song Recital—Mrs. E. G. Atkins—Rockford
Incidental Music—Kintzel's Orchestra
Friday, 8:30 a. m.
Organ solos—Mr. Lawver
Invocation—Reverend David L. McNary
Report of Credential Committee
Report of Revision Committee
Election of Officers
Appointment of Committee on

Resolutions

Report of Clubs (not exceeding four minutes)
Vocal Quartet—Mrs. Meier, Mrs. Goddard, Mrs. Lennox, Miss Doris Kruse
Friday, 1:30 p. m.:
Vocal Quartet
Miscellaneous Items
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Alpheus J. Goddard
Report of clubs (not exceeding four minutes)
Civic, Philanthropic and Social View Point—Mrs. Charles H. Zimmerman, State President, Chicago
Resolutions and Concluding Business

To Lenox Home

Dr. and Mrs. Trowbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Cassell motored to the Geo. Lenox home in Palmyra Sunday.

At Dr. Wilson Home

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Golder and daughters, Merle and Lylah, and Mrs. Charles Pippert of Rock Falls and Mrs. E. M. Davis of Chicago motored from Rock Falls Sunday and spent the day at the Dr. Wilson home.

Colonial Inn Guests

Colonial Inn guests at Grand Detour Sunday were Edward Jones, Arthur Heffley, George McKinney, Arthur Palmer, Urban O'Malley, Roy Fitzsimmons, C. Elliott, C. E. Booth, E. Gurner, S. R. Miller, R. D. Byers, M. E. Dollahan, F. K. McCarty, Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Buckworth, Misses Grace Palmer, Charlotte Bickford, Helen Palmer and James Hackell, Odessa Dastan, Palad Moore and Glen Rosecrans.

I. O. O. F. Meeting

Dixon lodge I. O. O. F. will hold a regular meeting tonight.

At Rice Home

Miss Elsie Lott of Franklin Grove was a guest Sunday at the Dr. Rice home.

At Luncheon

Mrs. Philip Woolver entertained Misses Julia Talty and Clara Talbott at luncheon Sunday evening.

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Visits Daughter
Dr. J. W. Stevens returned home from Chicago Saturday after a few days' visit with his daughter, Mrs. Julian Hart.

Will Make Visit.
Mrs. A. M. Hamilton and little daughter are expected from Chicago this evening to spend two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Woolver.

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THE WAR AND FINANCES.

Henry Clews, New York financier, writes the following concerning the financial condition since the sinking of the Lusitania:

New York, May 15, 1915.

Though unsettled on Friday, the stock market continued strong during the first portion of the week, presumably upon the hope that this country would not be involved to the extent of actual hostilities with Germany. President Wilson's calm but firm policy had an assuring effect, and the country, though deeply stirred, refused to become excited. Nevertheless there is no concealing the fact that the country is facing a grave crisis, and no one can tell the outcome of the present controversy. A peaceful settlement, it is to be hoped, will be reached—and it is devoutly wished that it will. The effect of war upon the United States will be less serious than upon any other nation. We can at present probably do but little harm to Germany and she can certainly still less to us. Some further derangement of international trade and finance may follow, but nothing like the blow which fell last July. In fact, the United States is exceedingly well prepared to meet any such shock, and no serious disturbance need be anticipated; besides, at this writing it is premature to indulge such fears, and better to hope for a peaceful outcome.

Unavoidably the war continues to outweigh all other considerations in financial circles. When the finances of all the great powers in the world are under the greatest strain in history; when millions of men are engaged in destruction instead of production, and that by the most destructive methods which devilish ingenuity can invent; when the trade of several of the greatest commercial nations is demoralized; when international industries are being destroyed wholesale; only misguided optimism can talk about real prosperity. The United States has one supreme advantage; its isolation from European politics. Our relations with Europe are becoming closer and closer every year as commerce and intercourse grow, but thus far our policy of avoiding entangling alliances has proved wise and safe. That policy should not be departed from, except for strenuous reasons; and whatever our sympathies all efforts to actively support one interest or the other should be instantly suppressed. President Wilson has acted in a manner that deserves the approval and support of the American people. He has upheld the honor, dignity and safety of Americans with a firm hand, avoiding offense and insisting upon justice. The country is fortunate in having at its head a man of such firmness, temperateness, sound judgment and high purpose. This is one source for self-congratulation. Another source of satisfaction is the self-restraint manifested by the American people. Public self-control has been shown to a remarkable degree, and this is one of our best assurances for keeping out of the conflict.

Aside from the war, conditions in the United States are slowly but surely mending. We have now entered a period when agricultural conditions are a vital factor. Some of our crops are likely to be late and their condition is not always as high as the exceptional averages of a year ago. The condition, however, is generally above the average and the acreage under cultivation is increased—the reduction in cotton being made up in other crops—and there is every assurance of a good export demand for all agricultural products at satisfactory prices. Already the outlook is for a record wheat crop. Our industrial situation is slowly emerging from the extreme depression of a year ago. Bank clearings show no such losses as during the winter months, and in many instances satisfactory gains are being shown compared with last year at this time.

GERMANY BUYS WAR MUNITIONS HERE.

Much complaint has been heard lately about the United States selling munitions of war to the allies. It is claimed that if it were stopped the war would soon cease. But if the following statement from the newspapers be true the same policy enforced before the war started might have prevented it altogether, although we heard no complaint about it then:

"A story came from New York yesterday that before the European war was declared Germany was one of the best customers of the Bethlehem Steel corporation. More than one-half of its products for export went to Germany. Guns now being used on land and sea were made at the plants of the Bethlehem company. An authority on the steel trade in ordinance is quoted as saying:

"Germany has placed large contracts for shrapnel, guns and other ordnance with concerns in this country, the Bethlehem Steel company getting the bulk of the business. The Bethlehem concern is manufacturing a large amount of shrapnel for Germany, though the latter country is not confident of its delivery while the war continues. But it is willing to spend millions of dollars employing capacity that would be otherwise turning out shells, guns, etc., for the allies."

WHERE THE GERMAN-AMERICANS STAND.

We are greatly pleased to quote below what Herman Ridder, the fire-eating editor of the New York Staats-Zeitung, has to say in regard to the impending crisis. Mr. Ridder and his excellent paper have heretofore had some very harsh things to say in regard to the policy of the United States in the present crisis. But the following signed statement from him removes any doubt as to his loyalty and sincerity:

"The German-Americans must suffer in any conflict between the United States and Germany, the pains of which their fellow citizens can never know anything. It is rather a time for showing them the greatest degree of consideration.

"They have fought to uphold the flag in the past and they will do so again against any emergency whatsoever. They deserve the fruits of past loyalty until they forfeit the right to claim them. There has never been but one flag under which the German-American has fought. There never can be but one flag under which he will ever fight. And that flag is the Stars and Stripes."

SPARED SO MUCH.

If Theodore Roosevelt had had his way, we should have been prepared for war—that is, if being in war with Mexico for at least two years past could have constituted any preparation. And if he could have his way now, we should immediately plunge into war, prepared or not. Again let us give thanks that he is not numbered among the powers that be at present.—New Haven Register.

Rippling Rhymes
By Walt Mason

A LITTLE WHILE.



A few more years, or a few more days, and we'll all be gone from the rugged ways wherein we are jogging now; a few more seasons of stress and toil, then we'll all turn in to enrich the soil, for some future farmer's plow. A few more years and the grass will grow where you and the push are lying low, your arduous labors o'er; and those surviving will toil and strain, their bosoms full of the same old pain you knew in the days of yore. Oh, what's the use of the carking care, or the load of grief that we always bear, in such a brief life as this? A few more years and we will not know a side of beef from a woolly wool, an ache from a bridal kiss. "I fear the future," you trembling say, and nurse your fear in a dotard way, and moisten it with a tear; the future day is a day unborn, and you will be dead on its natal morn, so live while the present's here. A few more years and you cannot tell a quart of tears from a wedding bell, a wreath from a beggar's rags; you will take a ride to the place of tombs in a jaunty hearse with its nodding plumes, and a pair of milk-black nags. So while you stay on the gray old earth, cut up and dance with exceeding mirth, have nothing to do with woe; a few more years and you cannot weep, you'll be so quiet and sound asleep, where the Johnnie-jumpups grow.

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Walt Mason

City In Brief

W. W. Trautman and family and Misses Levine and Alice Martin motored to Polo last evening and visited at the Bentley home.

Miss Fox of Ashton visited with friends in this city Saturday afternoon and evening.

Judge R. S. Farrand returned to Oregon this morning where he is holding court.

Jason Duis and wife are spending a few days in Chicago with friends.

William Hintz and nephew Harry Hintz brought out from Chicago a new Cadillac car Saturday which Mr. Hintz recently purchased.

Theodore Fuller was a morning passenger to the metropolis.

D. H. Law returned to Chicago this morning after an over Sunday visit in this city.

George T. Walters and John Martinson and their wives motored to Galt Sunday and spent the day at the Hunt home.

Grant LeFever, wife and Mrs. Martin of Sterling were visitors Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Trautman on Seventh St.

Miss Hazel Sunday of Franklin Grove spent Saturday with friends in this city.

William Hintz made a commercial trip to Byron today.

A. C. Moeller went to Chicago this morning to look after a car of horses he shipped in on Saturday night.

William Ford left this morning for Aurora and from there goes to Chicago.

R. Beardsworth of Morrison was a visitor in this city on Saturday.

Mrs. K. F. Burgess returned to her home at LaGrange this morning after a short visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Todd.

Allen Buckaloo and wife were here over Sunday from DeKalb visiting relatives.

H. L. Dollahan spent Sunday and Monday at his home here.

H. L. Dollahan will go to Clinton, Mo., Tuesday where he will start his forces at work putting in new boulevard street lights for that city.

Will Schuler left Saturday for a business and pleasure trip combined, to northern Wisconsin.

Attorney A. C. Warner has gone to the northwest to look after land interests in that locality having some four or five thousand acres.

William L. Westerman returned to Madison, Wis., this morning after an over Sunday visit in the city at the Davies home on Hennepin avenue. Mrs. Westerman will remain for a more extended visit with her mother.

Fred North left this morning for Peoria after a few days spent in this city.

The President's yacht was in the storm along the New Jersey coast yesterday and nearly everyone was seasick as a result. Wilson said he did not feel very well.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barry of Geneva were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Boynton Sunday.

Captain H. J. Angle and Captain Elijah Soper motored to Freeport Sunday.

J. A. Wandra of Rockford is here to relieve E. M. Finnan as operator at Lamson Bros.' office. Mr. Finnan has been transferred to the Duquane office of the company.

Wm. Schuck of Sterling was here Sunday.

Cashier W. C. Durkes of the City National bank was in Chicago today.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Long and family motored from Sterling to Dixon yesterday and were guests at the Fred Whipperman home.

Joseph Dauntler and wife spent Sunday with the lady's parents at La Fayette Grove, north of Ashton.

John F. Group of Franklin Grove was here today on business.

W. C. Yenerick of Ashton was here today.

W. H. Leech and H. H. Badger of Amboy were in Dixon today.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Buzard, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Schildberg and Miss Eva Billig motored to Franklin Grove yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doran of Ohio spent Sunday at the Hanan home.

Mrs. A. J. Stewart of Franklin Grove was a Dixon caller Saturday.

Adam Salzman was here from Eldena Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Ford and Mrs. Wm. Eckert went to Chicago to spend a few days.

David J. Reed of Woosung was in Dixon Saturday.

Attorney Bartlett of Mendota was here today.

R. L. Hess of Van Patten, proprietor of the elevator in that village, was here today.

Attorney Charles Preston of Pawpaw was here today on business.

The Englishman spoke. In a second class railway carriage, going from Lausanne to Paris, I once passed a night of conflict. On my side were a Swiss who spoke English and an Englishman who didn't speak. Our opponents were two members of a Latin race. They wanted the windows shut. We wanted at least one window open. Our common cause drew the three of us together. At first the Englishman's expression had seemed to wonder whether the Swiss and the American were quite worthy to prefer fresh air. As the night wore on this expression waned, and I thought I detected a trace of sympathy in the glances he sparingly aimed at us.

In answer to my question the Swiss explained his mastery of the English language by saying he had learned without a teacher, just by sitting near an open window in a tub of cold water. At this the Englishman almost spoke. Morning came. He filled his pipe and began to hunt through his pockets for matches. The Swiss offered him a box. "Thank you," he said gravely; "I prefer my own," and went on hunting.—New Republic.

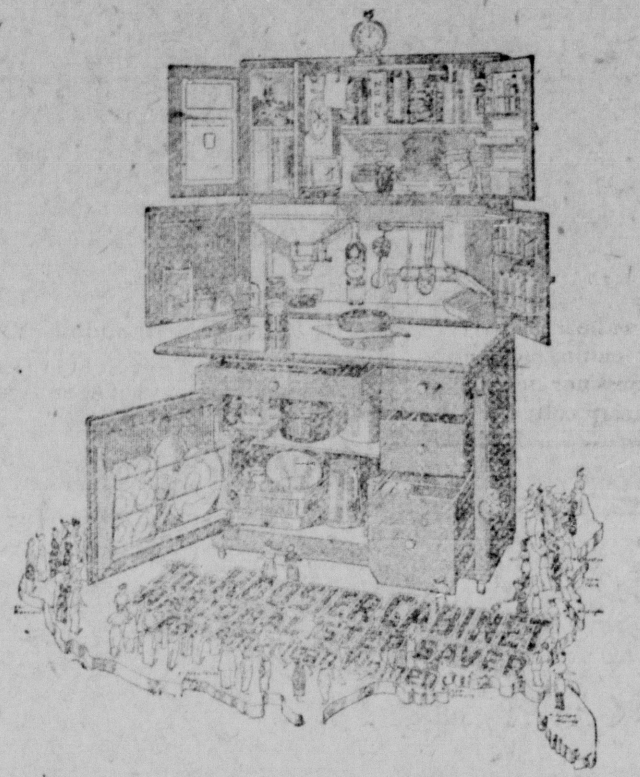
Open Leprosy Colony.

Alton, Ill., May 14.—Arrangements have been completed by Dr. G. A. Zeller for the establishment of a leprosy colony at the new State Hospital for the Mildly Insane at Alton. Angelo Lombardi, the Highland Park leper, probably will be taken there.

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SUGGESTS NEW NAME.

I do not want to enter into a controversy with a whole organization, or with some one under cover of an organization, or, in fact, at all. And I will not. But I deem it proper to acknowledge the reply of the Commercial club to my article in Thursday's Telegraph.

The writer says: "It may be reasonable to await their presentation to the city council of a request for an ordinance in full confidence that it will be based on equity and offer improvement in laws tending to mutual benefit."

This is the advice we get. And this being the case, let me humbly suggest a new name for the Commercial club—another new name, for I believe it frequently takes a new name, though it is always the same organization. Let me then suggest for its name the "Mutual Benefit Club," since mutual benefit is its object.

And kindly permit me to contribute a little to the mutual benefit by quoting Clause 4 of Section 295 of the city ordinances, which reads: "Except meats, fish, bread, pastry, oil or gasoline, fruit, vegetables, milk or cream," meaning that no license fee is to be paid by peddlers for selling these articles. And this I believe to be for the benefit of the people of Dixon. And we will wait and see if the Mutual Benefit Club demands a license on these articles.

MICHAEL FOLEY.

Ira Lehman and wife of Franklin Grove were in Dixon today.

John's Old Citadel.

On the summit of a Italian mountain over 2,000 feet high stand the wonderful ruins of the great citadel La Perriere, built by the black king Christophe. Some of the walls are eighty feet high and sixteen feet thick, and heavy battlements of old fifty-six and thirty-two pound guns are still in position. They were laid to guard every approach of what was intended to be the last asylum of Italian independence. Springs of water still exist in the interior, and there were secret subterranean passages and secret chambers for hiding his hoarded wealth, much of which is supposed to be still buried there. Although partly destroyed by the earthquake in 1842, which demolished nearly all of the important buildings in the country, the colossal ruins of the citadel still attest the gigantic work of Christophe, and the world still wonders how the work was done and how the material for the construction and armament was ever got to the top of the mountain. Little authentic information has ever been obtained on the subject, and the whole enterprise is clouded in romance and anecdote.—Argonaut.

Dust Clouds Armies Make.

An army on the march along dry roads naturally throws up very heavy dust clouds. To those who haven't been trained one dust cloud looks very much like another, but to a soldier these dust clouds tell a very clear story.

The dust clouds thrown up by infantry, for example, hang in a low, thick cloud. The longer the cloud the more men underneath it, and a scout can by this means make a fairly accurate guess of the number of men on the march.

Cavalry on the march sends up a dust cloud that is much higher and thinner than that of infantry. The most distinctive of these dust clouds, however, is that made by wagons and heavy guns. The dust rises in little groups of clouds, quite different from the long clouds of cavalry and infantry. So even when unable to see the actual cause of the dust, a scout can tell many miles away what kind of force is passing along a road.—Exchange.

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TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Robert DePuy was taken to the hospital today.

B. E. Ricketts of Peoria was an over Sunday guest at the A. M. Talty home.

Mrs. Ray Brook of Pennsylvania Corners was in Dixon today.

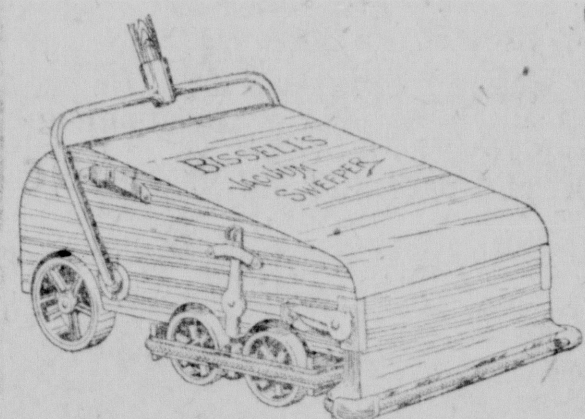
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas of Franklin Grove were in Dixon Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Callahan was here from Woosung Saturday.

Miss Lou Wilhelm was here from Nachusa Saturday.

Mrs. Michael Blackburn of Harmon was in Dixon Saturday.

Henry Duffy of Nelson was in Dixon Saturday.

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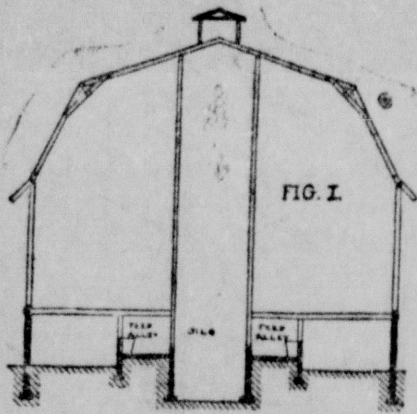
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SOME ADVANTAGES OF THE ROUND BARN.

A development in the direction of economic building construction is the round barn, examples of which in a more or less modified form can be found in almost every locality. The round barn possesses some theoretical advantages which make its design very attractive, but it is sometimes rather difficult to adapt these advantages to existing practical conditions. A number of very successful attempts have been made, however, and the resulting barns have proved to be quite efficient.

Some enthusiastic advocates of the round barn make such extravagant



Framing of 60-Foot Round Barn.

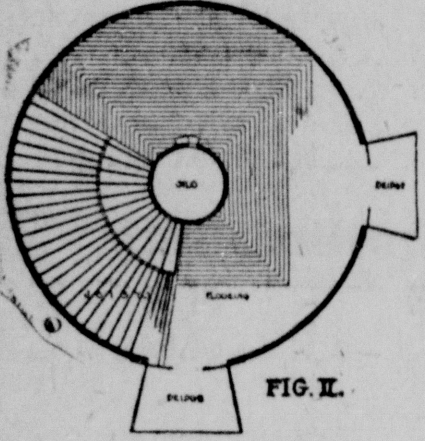
claims for it that it is very difficult to substantiate them. Some of the actually desirable features may be enumerated.

1. The round barn, especially when a silo is located at the center, possesses great strength on account of the mutual bracing effect resulting from the concentrating of the framing timbers supporting the roof. The roof of the round barn is almost invariably of the self-supporting plank frame type; in fact, in the construction of the whole barn, this type of framing is employed.

2. Theoretically, maximum floor space with the same perimeter is obtained at a minimum of cost, since with the same perimeters in variously shaped figures, a circle gives the greatest area.

3. Increased storage space is provided because of the height of the roof necessary to give it proper support.

There may be other advantages of more or less degree of importance, depending upon the purpose for which the barn is used. It is in the interior arrangement of the floor devoted to



Floor Joist Arrangement.

stalls and bins that sometimes considerable difficulty is encountered. Unless the barn is very carefully planned, there is likely to be waste space and loss of efficiency in feeding and cleaning operations. The construction of round barns of large dimensions is practically precluded by the inability to provide sufficient light when the interior stalls are located too far from the windows in the exterior wall.

Figure I shows the method of framing employed in a 60-foot round dairy barn. The plate, which is necessarily circular, is built up of six thicknesses of 1 x 6 on edge, the boards being put together so as to keep the joints well staggered, the purlin plate is constructed with a thickness equal to that of four boards. No posts are used, studs being used to support the walls and plate. Each pair of rafters are braced as shown in the illustration, and below the break in the roof an additional rafter is put in between each pair of regularly framed rafters, so that in the lower section of the roof there are twice as many rafters as in the upper section. The floor joists extend radially from the silo, as is shown in Figure II, and have one interior support.—By K. J. T. Elmhaw, in Farm Structure, Courtesy of Macmillan Co.

BEWARE OF FAKERS OF "SURE CURES" FOR FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE.

It seems almost incredible that a warning should be necessary against the seductions of those who are willing—for a consideration—to "sure cure" valuable nostrums that are "sure cures" for this infectious disease. It is reported that the United States mails are being used to exploit farming communities through the medium of circulars. There is, of course, as those who understand the situation at all know, no known remedy for this disease.

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Getting Away From Land.

The question has been asked, Is it possible to sail 1,000 miles from land? This can be done at several points. By leaving San Francisco and sailing northward into the north Pacific a spot is reached where there is no land, not even an islet, for 1,000 miles in any direction. So, too, sailing from the southern point of Kamchatka southwestward ships reach a point equally distant from land of any kind, the nearest to the north being the Aleutian Islands and to the south the outlying members of the Hawaiian group. In the southern Indian ocean it is possible to sail 1,000 miles out from the southern points of Australia and New Zealand and still be as far from any other land, and the same may be done in a westerly direction from Cape Horn. Indeed, from this point a much longer distance might be reached, for the southern Pacific between the Horn and New Zealand covers a space of 80 degrees of longitude and 40 of latitude of absolutely unbroken sea, making its central point over 1,200 miles from anywhere.

Municipal Granaries.

For more than two centuries the authorities of London maintained municipal granaries, the first one having been established by Sir Stephen Brown, lord mayor, in 1438. By means of these city granaries the authorities held the "corn badges" in check and regulated not only the price of corn, but of bread. The great fire in London destroyed the last of these granaries and also the public mills and ovens in which the city's grain was ground and baked, and the system was not thereafter introduced, chiefly because the general laws against grain speculators were sufficient to restrain undue speculation. Corn markets were held, however, as late as the beginning of the eighteenth century at Bear quay, in Thames street, London, while Queenhithe was the chief market for flour and meal, and later the metropolitan trade centered in the world famous Corn Exchange in Mark lane.—New York Times.

Cold Doesn't Always Contract.

There are many ways of demonstrating the fallacy of the assertion that "heat expands, cold contracts." When water (other liquids as well) freezes to ice it increases in bulk. Sometimes it is said, however, that the volume of the sum of the ice crystals alone is no greater than that of the original liquid, but that the crystals of ice do not fit in well together and leave spaces between them which account for the apparent increase in volume.

Molten metals, as a rule, contract upon solidification, which is nothing but freezing. Some alloys, on the other hand, expand when solidified. Type metal, which is composed chiefly of lead and antimony, is such an alloy. This propensity is of particular advantage in this case because it causes the metal in solidifying to push up every tiny corner and hair space in the matrix.—New York World.

Wild Zebras.

The zebra when wild is a ferocious animal, and an unwary hunter is likely to suffer from its teeth and hoofs. The author of "Kloof and Karroo" says that a Boer in Cape Colony had once forced a zebra to the brink of a precipice, when the desperate creature turned upon him, attacked him with its teeth and actually tore one of his feet from the leg. Another author writes of a soldier who mounted a half domesticated zebra. The creature, after making the most furious attempts to get rid of its rider, plunged over a steep bank into the river and threw the soldier as it emerged. While the man lay half stunned upon the ground the zebra quietly walked up to him and bit off one of his ears.

An Old Time Advertisement.

In old newspapers the advertisements make interesting reading. Here is one from the London Chronicle of 1785: "Run Away—Whereas Thomas Williams, Apprentice to John Clark of Queensborough, in the County of Kent, dreggerman, has run away from his said master's service and not been heard of these three years, If the said Thomas Williams will return to his master's service within three months after the date of this advertisement he will be kindly received, and whoever harbours him after this notice will be prosecuted as the law directs."

DR. DERNBURG SEEKS OVERSEA PROTECTION

United States Would Like to Know His Status.

Washington, May 17.—Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, the unofficial mouthpiece of the German government in this country, desires to return to Europe armed with a British safe conduct for his voyage. It is very much of an open question whether he will get it or not.

At the doctor's request Ambassador Von Bernstorff took up the matter with the state department informally last week. He indicated that Dr. Dernburg would like to have the United States government use its good offices to secure for him a safe conduct for the sea voyage, from the British embassy. The supposition seems to have been that the state department would be willing enough to do anything in its power to speed the German unofficial spokesman on his way.

The state department, however, has not shown any alacrity to take steps to secure for Dernburg a safe conduct. It is stated that the department certainly will not make the request until it has learned what attitude the British government will take toward such a request.

U. S. FIRMS ARE UNRELIABLE

France Finds 1 Out of 25 Deliver Up to Sample.

Paris, May 17.—An unfortunate situation has arisen with regard to granting contracts to American manufacturers owing to the failure of even the big houses to deliver goods upon sample. Several important American contracts have been cancelled. Two important cases in point were the delivery of a monthly consignment of 50,000 pieces of boots below sample—the soldiers' foot boots into strips—and of 200,000 pairs of socks delivered and found to be of 30 per cent of wool and 70 per cent cotton the contract called for 70 per cent wool and 30 per cent cotton.

Of the twenty-five of the largest American houses with which the French government is doing business only one has a record of never falling below sample. The worst deliveries are those of boots, socks and underwear. The deliveries of cloth are much better.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY ENDS WOE

Politician at Green Bay, Wis., Kills Wife and Himself.

Green Bay, Wis., May 17.—Frank Deville, prominent politician, former sheriff and candidate for aldermanic honors at the spring election, shot and instantly killed his wife and then killed himself on the street here.

The act is believed to have been caused by family troubles and a pending divorce suit. Five children survive.

Italy Buying, Not Selling Supplies.

Paris, May 17.—Italy has stopped selling, exporting and delivering on contracts already signed for export, and is now buying heavily in coal, crude oil, gasoline, cereals and flour.

It's Money Well Spent!

By MOSS.

It's far better to spend \$50 or \$1,000 in advertising in this newspaper and make more net profit than it is to spend nothing for advertising and make less net profit.

Out of every ten men who succeed nine do so by liberal publicity. The tenth man is usually a freak exception.

Consistent advertising keeps you even with or ahead of your competitor.

Most of our merchants are quick to realize that the best reading element in this community—the people who buy most—take this paper and read the advertisements therein contained.

Have the pantry shelves attractive. If you use white paper right from the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co. they will be. It's only a cent a sheet.

WOLF INDUSTRY OF ILLINOIS IS THRIVING

Looks Like It Might Pay to Raise Cubs for Scalps.

Bloomington, Ill., May 17.—From the number of claims for bounty cashed by the county treasurers of Illinois this spring this state appears to be overrun with wolves. Every county appears to be participating in the slaughter, and several hundred already have been dispatched by hunters.

Adam Ford of Cherry Valley was paid \$32 for the scalps of an old wolf and six young ones. George Rutherford of Ottawa was paid \$70 for the scalps of a wolf and her six cubs. La Salle county pays \$10 each for scalps whether of old or young wolves. Charles Barlow of Radnor township, Peoria county, was paid \$25 for the scalps of five wolf cubs.

Farmers of Lee county have killed many wolves this month. Frank Berry killed a full grown animal, while J. W. Carter and Nona Shaw killed seven half grown ones. Lloyd Renner captured six wolf cubs on his farm near Mount Carroll. He was allowed \$3 each by the county treasurer. John Rexroat of Arcadia killed a full grown wolf and was allowed \$5 bounty.

CEREMONIES FOR AIR BOAT

Governor Dunne and Notables Will Attend Hydroaeroplane Launching.

Chicago, May 17.—America's first naval reserve hydroaeroplane will be launched next Saturday with all of the ceremonies of the launching of a great dreadnaught when the Illinois naval reserve will commission a 100 horse power airboat of the latest Curtiss type.

Attending the celebration, which will take place at the foot of Washington street, will be various state, city, naval, and military officials, including Governor Dunne and Mayor William Hale Thompson.

LARGE COAL PROPERTY SOLD

Pana, Ill., Mine Goes at Master's Sale for \$30,000.

Pana, Ill., May 17.—Mine No. 1 of the Pana Coal company, the oldest and one of the largest mining properties in Central Illinois, was sold by Special Master in Chancery James L. Drennan to Leslie J. Taylor of Taylorville at public sale for \$30,000. The sale includes all mineral rights, amounting to more than 1,000 acres of underlying coal and all machinery, together with several tracts of city property.

"TIZ" FOR ACHING, SORE, TIRED FEET

Good-bye sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, aching feet, tired feet.

Good-bye corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony.

"TIZ" is magical, acts right off. "TIZ" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet. Use "TIZ" and forget your foot misery. Ah! how comfortable your feet feel. Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now at any drugstore or department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never swell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed or money refunded.

PROPOSALS FOR DUMB WAITERS. STATE OF ILLINOIS.

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION.

Springfield, Illinois, May 14, 1915. Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Administration in its office in the Capitol Building, Springfield, Illinois, up to three o'clock p. m., Tuesday, June 1, 1915, and then there publicly opened for furnishing and installing automatic push button electric dumb waiters in buildings, as follows:

One dumb waiter, Administration Building, State Epileptic Colony, near Dixon, Illinois.

One dumb waiter, Administration Building, Alton State Hospital, Alton, Illinois.

Two dumb waiters, Receiving Buildings, Alton State Hospital, Alton, Illinois.

Two dumb waiters, Administration Building, Chicago State Hospital, Dunning, Illinois.

Two dumb waiters, Receiving Buildings, Chicago State Hospital, Dunning, Illinois.

Specifications may be obtained upon application to Hon. James B. Dibelka, State Architect, 130 North Fifth Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION. By FRANK D. WHIPP, Fiscal Supervisor.

AMBOY NEWS ITEMS

Amboy, May 15.—Fred Catton, the 14-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Catton, of West Main street, passed away at the hospital Thursday morning at 6:30 after a serious illness of several weeks, due to malarial fever. The little lad bravely submitted to a serious operation a few weeks ago, only gaining temporary relief from pain, yet hopes were entertained for his recovery, and he was to be removed to his home Saturday, but a violent coughing spell seized him Thursday from which he never rallied. The deceased is survived by his parents, and one sister, Helen, who have the sympathy of the community. Funeral at 10 o'clock Saturday from St. Patrick's church, Rev. J. Lynch officiating, in interment in St. Patrick's cemetery.

The senior play entitled "Anne of Old Salem," which was presented in the Opera House by the high school class of 1915, was fine, in every way, each actor seemed suited to the part assigned, and were very clever in their roles. The class was coached by Miss Louise Sues of the Chicago Conservatory of Dramatics. The cast of characters was as follows:—

Reverend Cotton Mather—Charles Jeannet.
Captain Hardman—David Gibson.
Roger Hardman, his son—Frank Rooney.
Nathan Ellinwell, brother of Anne—Cecil Emery.
Ezekiel Brown—Dwight Mynard.
Misses Harman—Anna Miller.
Goodwife Ellinwell—Vera Eddy.
Anne Ellinwell—Rachel Entorf.
Phyllis, an English visitor—Harriet Maine.
Ruth—Sadie Welsh.
Pietie and Truitt—Nora Feller and Carol Keefe.
Peace Atkins—Helen Meeks.

Commencement exercises will be held Friday evening, May 28, at the Amboy opera house. John D. Shoop, assistant superintendent of the Chicago public schools, will deliver the address.

Mrs. Andrew Meyer and Miss Leila Hauze were Chicago visitors a few days last week.

Miss Jeannette Roche, submitted to an operation for appendicitis yesterday forenoon, at the local hospital. Burt Brewer was a business visitor in Chicago last week.

W. H. Badger of Dixon, motored to this city, Tuesday, and was the guest of his son, H. H. Badger of Plant street.

Dr. A. Chandler of Rochelle was a professional visitor here yesterday.

The John Haas Bakery has been painted and re-decorated recently, and makes a very neat appearance.

Mrs. Caroline Antoine entertained Mrs. Phoebe Dewey of Harmon last Sunday at her home on Blackstone street.

Miss Anna Wood is taking a vacation from her duties in Canavan's Dry goods store. She will spend part of the time with her sister in Polo.

A. S. Berry, "The Ilve Wire Man" of Ottawa was here on business last Monday.

R. W. Ruckman spent Tuesday in Springfield, taking a vacation from the Amboy State Bank, where he is employed as cashier.

Lee Anderson and little daughter Mary of Sterling, are guests at the James Lester home west of the city.

W. E. Clark and John Hammond were delegates from this city representing the Keenan Council, at a N. C. convention, in Decatur.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Green of Cedar Rapids, Ia., a son, Apr. 24. Mr. Green is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Green of East Main street.

Misses Elva Mason and Susie Hanson spent last Sunday in Sterling, accompanied by P. W. Mason, who remained a few days the guest of his sister, Mrs. S. S. Royer.

George Klein died at Albuquerque, N. M., last Tuesday. His body will arrive in Amboy today and interment will take place in Prairie Rest cemetery, beside the grave of his parents. The deceased is the youngest member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. John Klein, who passed away a number of years ago. He grew to manhood in this city and for a number of years was an employee of the Illinois Central railroad. Recently he worked as a painter and paper hanger. His health failing he sought relief in New Mexico but to no avail. He is survived by one brother, John of Colorado, and two sisters Mrs. Bertha Eckert of Aurora, and Mrs. Emma Kugler of Steward.

The Amboy Memorial Association will meet in the city hall Monday evening, May 17, to elect officers and arrange for services on May 30; The officers for the year closing are—

President—F. N. Vaughn.
Vice President—G. L. Carpenter.
Secretary—T. B. Fisher.
Treasurer—H. H. Badger.

Fred Harek intends to move to Dixon about June 1. He will hold a sale at his residence near Lee Center, Tuesday, May 25.

The Hudson Comedy Co. will begin a week's engagement in a tent, on the Nicholson lot, on East Main St. N. A. Ready of Ohio, Ill., spent Sunday in this city. He was a former employee of the Amboy News office.

Mrs. G. C. Mercer entertained an aunt, Mrs. M. E. Guernsey of Peoria, for the past week.

The Squire Dingee Pickle Co. had a representative here this week, Mrs. H. Makeher of Hampshire, Ill., who was overseeing conditions for the Amboy factory.

Miss E. J. Shaller of Mendota visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wells Colson of Plant street, last Monday.

Messrs. L. Colberg, W. A. Webber, and Charles and L. E. Bradshaw of Compton motored to this city last Thursday.

Mrs. Henrietta Appleton will enter the Missionary Society of the

Congregational church next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

Mrs. J. E. Lyman was a guest at the Chas. Berkeley home on Blackstone street, went to Ashton Sunday before departing for Millsville, Wis., where she will make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dewey had Miss Nina Tennant and brother of Dixon as guests for the week end.

Miss Catherine Clark entertained at a dinner party last Sunday, having as guests Misses Robinson, Fissel, Kenney, Scranton and Brown, all public school teachers.

R. M. Green has purchased a new Overland car.

Mrs. Homer Rosier and daughter, were in Freeport today.

SCHWAB GETS RIFLE ORDER

Russia Is Short of Boots—Wants 6,000,000 Pairs.

Paris, May 17.—It is understood that Charles M. Schwab has received heavy French orders for Le Bel rifles which presumably he will submit to small arms companies, as the Bethlehem company does not manufacture small arms.

The Russians are short of boots. They are getting some from Japan, and a contract for 6,000,000 pairs was offered to an American factory, but was refused as the machinery of the factory was not suited to the manufacture of boots of the required shape.

Wisconsin Lawyer Disbarred.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 17.—David E. Johnson, a local attorney, was disbarred on six charges, among which was the embezzlement of the funds of clients. The charges were filed last July by the grievance committee of the Milwaukee Bar association. The decision was rendered by Judge E. B. Heldon of Racine.

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100 " " " to \$5 " 4.50 " "

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Sample Rooms Two Floors—Agents'

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SEE THE SPRING STYLES IN MEN'S HATS
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New Neckwear, Elgin Shirts, Hosiery, Trunks, and Suit Cases.
Suits & Overcoats made-to-order \$15 up. Coat & Pants \$13.50 up

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Modern Equipment for handling all Men's and Women's clothing
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A Large Shipment for the Spring Trade has Arrived

The Famous Ladies Shoe---FORD'S \$3 Special

The Best Shoe sold in Dixon for the money. We have handled this shoe for 25 years; up to the minute in style. In Bloucher, Button, Lace, Goodyear Welts, Hundturned, Gypsy Cut, Nurse, In 'high and low heel, Cloth Tops. "A" to "EE"

Ford's Cash Shoe Store
110 E. FIRST STREET

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WANTED. Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon.

WANTED. Woodwork of all kinds, furniture repairing, remodeling and building new furniture, interior woodwork, stair building, pattern making, lawn mower and tool sharpening and saw filing, screen doors and windows built to any size, at 213 East First street. O. Selgestad & Son, 2 doors east of Hotel Bishop. Phone 737. 41tf

WANTED—Learn barber trade and quit worrying about hard times. Barbers are never out of employment. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Ia. 06t24

WANTED. Everyone in Dixon to bring their shoes to me for repairing. Once a customer, always a customer. Workmanship and material the best. Full line foot easers, polish, shoe strings and soles. H. Beckingham, 103 Hennepin Ave. 16tf

WANTED—Work by the day, sweeping and cleaning. Call Mrs. Mary Schmidt, 524 East Third street. 27tf

WANTED—Have your wall paper cleaned and made as good as new. I can do it and guarantee it; give me a trial, also let me do your painting. Floyd Ankeny, telephone 15, Leake's drug store. 37tf

WANTED—Lots to plow, also all kinds of team work. William Otto. Phone 14101. 8026*

WANTED—Your order for rugs to be made from old carpet. H. Squier, Agt. for Elgin Rug Co. Phone 14269, Dixon, Ill. 703mo

WANTED—Sewing or fancy work—to do at home. I cannot walk, must go in wheel chair. Mrs. Jennie Stoddard, 518 Ninth St., Dixon, Ill. 84tf

WANTED—Housework—or cleaning by the hour, also plain sewing. Mrs. J. L. Hartman, Phone 13373. 86tf

WANTED—To rent—Moderate sized furnished house or furnished rooms for house keeping. Address E—this office. 86tf

WANTED to Rent: House with small garden or a small flat. Location no object. Wanted about May 15. Reliable party. Address L. B., care this office. 104tf

WANT man of business notions with \$700.00 secured. Coffee roasting and tea business. Salary \$85.00 then 30% profit. Get Commercial report on this. Sanitary Coffee Co., Seattle, Wash. 110tf

DON'T use your old corn plow shovels when you can buy new ones as cheap as you can. Get your old ones pointed, \$2.50 per set of six; fit any round shank. Buy them in. Worley & Close Blacksmith shop, 87 Peoria Ave., Dixon. Horseshoeing and woodwork. Repairing of all kinds. Plow work. Tire setting. 110mo1

WANTED. Women to make dust caps. Will buy entire output. Big profits. No canvassing. Material furnished any distance. Pleasant, steady employment. Stamp for reply. Union Mfg. and Supply Co., Kokomo, Ind. 114ml

MAN OR WOMAN of good character in each town to distribute free goods as advertised; experience unnecessary; references required; \$25 a week to start. Address Hudson King & Co., Dept. 32K 9 South Clinton St., Chicago. 1106*

WANTED. Employment by man willing to do any kind of work. Painting and paper hanging especially. H. L. Craig. Phone 12765. 1143

WANTED. Persons to copy letters at home. Earn \$10 to \$25 weekly. Send stamped envelope for particulars. Standard Copy Co., 925 Laird, Oklahoma City, Okla. Standard Copy Co. 1116*

WANTED: Man over 30 years old to travel for us this spring and all summer, making these towns, Dixon, Sterling, Freeport, Rockford, DeKalb, Belvidere, Clinton, LaSalle, Spring Valley, Peru, Glen Bros., Rochester, N.Y. 11413*

WANTED. One or two washings to do at my home. Will call for and deliver. 316 S. Jefferson Ave. 1143*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE. Some bargains in North Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, Cavalier Co., N. Dak. 73tf

FOR SALE. Gas range, been used less than a year. Will sell at a bargain. Phone 14903. 1153

FOR SALE. Quarter-sawn oak sideboard, plate rack; also 30 Rhode Island Red chickens. Phone 13918, or call at 1312 Peoria Ave. 1153*

FOR EXCHANGE. Several small tracts of land clear of encumbrance for Dixon property. Will assume or pay cash difference. Add. T. Care Telegraph. 10tf

FOR SALE. Handsome electric dome for dining room; very reasonable. Mrs. H. T. Noble, 204 Dement Ave. Phone 12837. 65tf

FOR SALE. Northwest Missouri corn, clover and blue-grass farms. Best all-round farming country in the world. State soil map free. Bazel J. Meek Land Co., Chillicothe, Mo. 97H

FOR SALE. Why pay rent? Would you like to have a farm home of your own in Ill. settlement, a farm that will produce corn, alfalfa, clover, blue grass, in a good livestock country with fine roads, telephones, mail delivery, churches and schools? Land from \$35 to \$55 per acre. Some farms have modern homes with all conveniences. See N. A. Cortright or J. M. Moline or drop a card to Room 28, Dixon National Bank Bldg. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acre tract irrigated land near Brighton, Colo. Address Mrs. Lillian Morse, Dixon, Ill. 11tf

FOR SALE. 7 room house with lot 50x150. One block from Catholic church, near Grand Detour factory and both depots. Short walk from town. Telephone 914. 80tf

FOR SALE. Seed corn, yellow dent and Silver Mine. Test 98 and 99. C. Buzard, Phone 45140. 10512*

FOR SALE. North side lots, in Parsons' Addition, fronting on Fellows, Chamberlain, May streets and Squires Avenue. Prices \$250 to \$750. Cash or easy payments. In E. C. Parsons' Black Hawk Park Addition, fronting on Rock river, Upman and Boyd Streets. Prices \$150 to \$300. Cash or installments. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479. 62tf

FOR SALE. Fine building lots 40x150 and one 70x150. W. 2nd St., between Highland and Madison Aves. Brick paving, gas, water, sewer. Enquire Mrs. Cora M. Kaylor, 812 W. First St. 97tf

FOR SALE—Easy payments. A 9-room house, lot 120 foot front and 150 feet deep. Furnace, fruit trees and grapes. Close to street car line, four blocks from one school and five blocks from another. Inquire at this office. 67tf

FOR SALE: Cheap for cash only if taken at once, 16-foot 6 passenger launch with an auto top and curtains and life preserver cushions. Boat house goes with boat. Telephone 14789. 11116

Notice

"Two handsome 5 room Bungalows for sale. New building in Loveland Place, near milk factory. Large lots; handy to cars.

Lot on W. First St. 60 foot front, good level garden; cement sidewalk; desirable location. Only \$350.00.

Fine building lot, center of city, corner 2nd and Madison, 48x125. Sowers, walks, paved street, \$1275.

Lot on Third St. South front, between Madison and Monroe. 45x150. Close to business. Very cheap at \$1175.

2 choice lots in east part of city, overlooking the river. Only \$450 each.

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FOR SALE. 3000 acres best bargains in Minnesota and N. D. will be sold to settle estate. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. D. 88tf

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If we don't show better soil and better farm bargains than can be found elsewhere will pay your fare and we pay it if you buy. \$2.00 PER ACRE CASH WITH balance, and interest on improved 160 acres from Hogs and 5 sows each year.

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Farmers make money faster than any other place in the United States. Will give you 160-acre farm if you find three renters elsewhere who, starting with nothing, went so much in debt, have made as much as one renter here in the same time.

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FOR SALE. Bluff Park Home. Eight room modern house, lot 100x150. Brick paved street; sewer, gas, electricity, city water, new heating apparatus with Rheostat, bath room and a sleeping porch. House in first class condition; choice location, in preferred residence district, yet close to business center. Price on application. Will exchange, smaller house or vacant property. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479. 62tf

FOR SALE. Two wire cages or coops for young chickens; 3 small garden gates suitable to pen calves in stall. Also about 50 feet of chicken wire. Mrs. Cora M. Kaylor, 812 W. First St. 101tf

FOR SALE—Some bargains in North Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, Coldwater Co., N. Dak. 11tf

FOR SALE: A desirable eighty acre tract of land located about 3 1/2 miles southeast of Harmon, Illinois, will be sold at public auction at the Court House in Dixon, Saturday, May 15th, 1915, at 1:30 p. m. No buildings. Soil, excellent. For particulars inquire of John Farrelly, Conservator, Harmon, Illinois, or Henry C. Warner, Attorney, Dixon, Illinois. 103t12

FOR SALE. Lot at corner of Ottawa and Eighth St., 75x150. Small barn. Enquire at Barry Cash Store, 115 Peoria Ave. 9824

FOR SALE. \$15 slumber hammock, very cheap if taken at once, Phone 992. 11tf

FOR SALE: Large bay mare—safe women or children, or serviceable for farm work. Low price. Call phone 161. 11413

FOR SALE cheap, if taken at once, 5 passenger Oakland touring car in excellent condition. Phone 282 or 1072. 1143

FOR SALE: Baled hay and straw. Corner Commercial Alley and Ottawa Ave. Chas. M. Burket. 1143

FOR SALE. Fresh milk cows and springers. Also White Silver Mine seed corn. A. L. Pope, Route 6, Dixon Phone 1-11. 1136

FOR RENT

FOR RENT. Furnished double room in new, modern house; 3 blocks from P. O. 315 E. 2nd St. Telephone 12615. 97tf

FOR RENT: One half of double house, 8 rooms west part of town, near school and shoe factory. Reasonable rent. Houghton-Vaile Agency, Rooms 27-28 Dixon Nat'l Bank Bldg. Phone 65. 11413*

FOR RENT. A five room house on College Ave. near car line. Enquire of Mrs. O. B. Anderson, 402 N. Galena Ave. Phone 178. 1116

MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain:

Mixed White
Oats 49 50
Corn 69 70

Local Produce Quotations.

	Pay	Sell
Chickens	17	21
Eggs	17	21
Creamery butter	34	34
Dairy butter	25	30
Lard	11	15
Potatoes	50	70
New potatoes, peck	65	65

LOCAL MILK PRICES.

Test	Per 100 lbs
3.0	\$1.05
3.1	1.08
3.2	1.11
3.3	1.14
3.4	1.17
3.5	1.20
3.6	1.23
3.7	1.26
3.8	1.29
3.9	1.32
4.0	1.35
4.1	1.38
4.2	1.41

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Chicago, May 17 1915.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May 152	156	151 1/2	156	
July 127 1/2	130 1/2	127 1/2	129 1/2	
Sept 121 1/2	124	121	123 1/2	
Corn—				
May 72 1/2	74 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2	
July 76 1/2	77 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2	
Sept 77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2	
Oats—				
May 51 1/2	52 1/2	51 1/2	52	
July 51	51 1/2	50 1/2	51 1/2	
Sept 46 1/2	46 1/2	45 1/2	46 1/2	
Pork—				
May 1762	1762	1760	1770	
July 1795	1805	1790	1802	
Lard—				
May 960	960	960	960	
July 960	967	957	965	
Butts—				
May 1035	1035	1035	1035	
July 1050	1055	1050	1055	

Receipts today—
Hogs—30,000.
Cattle—18,000.
Sheep—12,000.
No hogs left over.
Hogs open 5c higher than Saturday's average.
Light—765@800.
Mixed—750@800.
Heavy—735@790.
Rough—735@750.
Cattle and sheep steady.
Hogs close 5 to 10c lower.
Estimated tomorrow—14,000.

Ancient Surgical Instruments.
A complete set of surgical instruments was found not long ago by men digging in a scrap pile in Cholophon, an ancient Greek city. In spite of the fact that they were used about 2,000 years ago, there is not much difference between them and the implements that are poked into the anatomy of a modern man. In the set are small knives with handles of decorated bronze, a metal which the Greeks thought was especially healing. There are also several pairs of forceps, one of them used to extract the heads of arrows and lances from wounded warriors. Another instrument is for the drilling of holes in the bones of the skull; another for cauterizing the flesh. Besides these are vessels for cupping and bleeding, a small covered bronze box for delicate instruments, a slab of stone for mixing certain drugs and a pair of scales which still balance perfectly. In addition to these there is a handsome purple glass beaker, probably the drinking cup of the unknown surgeon who made use of all these instruments.

Kite Flying Contests.
The Japanese are devoted to their national sport of kite flying. At contests there are two umpires, at whose command two kites of the same size are sent up together. As the kites fly to a sufficient height the men try to pull the kites against each other. Each party wants to bring its kite into touch with its opponent and to bring the latter down. The kite that stays up the longest is victorious. This requires the strength of many men working a long time. And the art of fighting one's kite well is not easily acquired. Thus fifty or sixty men labor until exhausted. Some of the kites used in the contest are things to see—huge circular structures about ninety feet in length, including the tail, and having a width of fifty or sixty feet. The ropes for the fighting kites are made of strong hemp and are more than 2,000 feet long and above one inch in thickness.—London Globe.

IT'S SURPRISING

THAT SO MANY DIXON PEOPLE FAIL TO RECOGNIZE KIDNEY WEAKNESS

Are you a bad back victim? Suffer twinges, headaches, dizzy spells? Go to bed tired—get up tired? It's surprising how few suspect the kidneys. It's surprising how few know what to do. Kidney trouble needs kidney treatment.

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TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.
123 Southern Exp. 11:10 a. m.
121 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.

North Bound.
132 Waterloo Exp. 10:06 a. m.
120 Local Mail 5:10 p. m.
120 Local Exp. 8:19 p. m.

Freeport Freight 12:30 p. m.
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
6 3:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.
24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 p. m.
28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.
18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.
10 10:49 a. m. dly 1:30 p. m.
20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.
4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.
12 6:10 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

West Bound.
No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.
99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.
13 10:30 a. m. 1:05 p. m.
19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.
27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.
17 9:31 p. m. 11:53 p. m.
*7 10:02 p. m. 12:28 p. m.
3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria
\$01 8:35 Peoria Pas 12:05 p. m.

*Los Angeles Limited.
No. 17 stops only for passengers to Granger, Wyo. or beyond.

INTERURBAN LINE.
Correct time of the departure of cars on the S. D. & E. E. Ry., in effect on February 1, 1915:

Lv. Dixon
5:45
7:30
9:00
10:30
12:01
1:00
2:00
3:00
4:00
5:00
6:00
7:00
8:00
9:00
10:45

Lv. Sterling
6:45
8:15
9:45
11:15
12:01
1:00
2:00
3:00
4:00
5:00
6:00
7:00
8:00
9:45
11:30

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to assure its dispatch.

East Mail.
Train No. 6 3:00 a. m.
Train No. 28 6:55 a. m.
Train No. 20 10:40 a. m.
Train No. 4 3:55 p. m.
Train No. 12 5:40 p. m.

West Mail.
Train No. 5 9:40 a. m.
Train No. 13 12:40 p. m.
Train No. 27 7:00 p. m.
Train No. 9 8:20 p. m.
Train No. 15 1:30 a. m.

South Mail.
Train No. 119 6:55 a. m.
Train No. 123 10:40 a. m.
Train No. 131 4:50 p. m.

North Mail.
Train No. 132 9:40 a. m.
Train No. 129 7:55 p. m.
Train No. 124 4:50 p. m.

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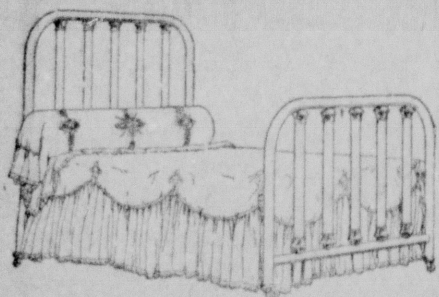
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At Dr. Stevens Home
 Dr. Medwell is here from Chicago the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Stevens. 115tr

Entertained in Palmyra
 Garret Johnson and family were entertained yesterday at the Carl Johnson home in Palmyra.

At Griffith Cottage
 Mr. and Mrs. Chart Griffith and Miss Bessie Andrus of Ashton spent yesterday at the Griffith cottage at the Assembly grounds.

Mr. Douglas of the Edson-Keith Millinery Co., Chicago, was in Dixon today.

Returns to Indianapolis
 Mrs. McNutt returned to her home in Indianapolis Saturday following a three weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Gullion. Mr. Gullion accompanied Mrs. McNutt as far as Chicago.

S. S. Convention

A number of interested Sunday school workers met in the Sunday school Convention held at the Sugar Grove church, Palmyra, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The program was carried out follows:

Exercise—Miss Eva Mensch's class "The importance of Attendance in Sunday School"—H. L. Fordham Solo—LeRoy Buhler Officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are: President, Austin Powers; Secretary and Treasurer, Keith Swartz. Prairieville will be the seat of the next convention.

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Senior Class Play

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 Mr. Jack Sanderson of the class of 1902, formerly of Northwestern—Edward Haley
 Nelles Holmes Sanderson, His wife who would "really rather tell Uncle anyway!"—Mary Keenan
 Mr. John VanCourtland, His Uncle John, who thinks "a young man married is a man that's married!"—William Webster

Mr. Bert Allison, His Sworn friend who is nothing if not loyal—Donald Barry

Miss Lucy Harrington, His Sworn Friend's Sweetheart who has always been wild to visit "Drake!"—Elizabeth Owens

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Mrs. Slatters, His Landlady—Marjorie Slothower

Synopsis:
 Prologue: Mr. Van Courtland's law office one morning in June 1900. "It's an ill game of poker that blows nobody any good."

ACT I.—The buffet sitting room of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanderson's apartment, Drake University, one morning in November 1900. "All is not lost that is falling."

ACT II.—The same, the afternoon of the same day. "Well, Brother, I am Bobbed."

ACT III.—The same, the evening of the same day. "Well, I have seen a Junior play at last."

Sunday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mosher were here Sunday from Deer Grove as guests at the R. R. Hess home.

Visits Parents

Elwyn H. Johnson of Chicago came out from Chicago Saturday evening and spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson. His wife, who has been visiting here for several days, returned to the city with him last evening.

Dine at Tavern

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Reed and son of this city, and Mrs. H. H. Unger of Polo dined at the Nachusa Tavern Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Manson of Rochelle is visiting with friends in Dixon today and this evening will go to Sterling to attend the Picknell Young lecture on Christian Science.

At Sunday Supper
 Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Reid entertained at supper Sunday evening Prof. and Mrs. A. T. Scovil and family of Sterling.

Guests Here

Prof. and Mrs. K. J. Scovill and family of Sterling were in Dixon yesterday as dinner guests at the Thos. Leake home.

To Give Luncheon

Mrs. Fred King of North Dixon will give a luncheon, Tuesday, May 25, in honor of Miss Edna Rosbrook, who is to be a bride of June.

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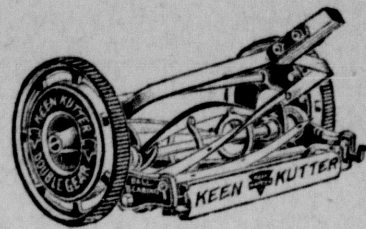
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